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REQUEST FOR A TWO (2) MONTH EXTENSION

Sir:

With reference to the Office Action dated July 11, 2011, the Applicants respectfully requests a two-month extension of the response term. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400 in the amount of \$560.00, to cover the fee for this two (2) month extension, or any required fees in excess of the amount submitted, or credit any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

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